## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI WESTERN DIVISION

H&R BLOCK TAX SERVICES LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

**Case No. 12-CV1320-SOW** 

LUTGARDO ACEVEDO-LOPEZ,

Defendant.

## JOINT MOTION TO AMEND SCHEDULING ORDER

Come now Plaintiff and Defendant, by and through their undersigned attorneys, and jointly move the Court to Amend the Scheduling Order and extend deadlines as follows:

- 1. Extend the close of discovery by 60 days, to September 16, 2013;
- 2. Extend the dispositive motion deadline to October 16, 2013;
- 3. Extend the deadline for Defendant's disclosure of the narrative of his expert's testimony to July 15, 2013;
- 4. Establish a deadline of August 15, 2013, for Plaintiff's designation of a rebuttal expert and disclosure of a narrative of testimony.

In support of their joint motion, the parties state:

- 1. No previous extension of deadlines has been requested.
- 2. The parties have diligently pursued discovery, including exchanges of written discovery requests and production of documents.
- 3. Additional time is needed to complete written discovery and depositions in this matter. The parties are deposing multiple witnesses in the Territory of Puerto Rico and in several

states, and additional time is needed to coordinate the schedules of witnesses and counsel.

4. The brief extension is not requested for purposes of delay, and it does not prejudice either party or the court, as trial has not been scheduled in this matter.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff and Defendant jointly move the Court to Amend the Scheduling Order and extend discovery and motion deadlines.

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